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Group Art Unit: 2666

Appl. No. : 10/084,049

Examiner: M. Jagannathan

Filed : February 28, 2002

For : PORT ROUTING FUNCTIONALITY

**COVER LETTER REGARDING SUBMISSION OF  
SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION DATA SHEET**

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Sir:

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. 1.76(c)(2), Applicants submit herewith a Supplemental Application Data Sheet [hereinafter "SADS"].

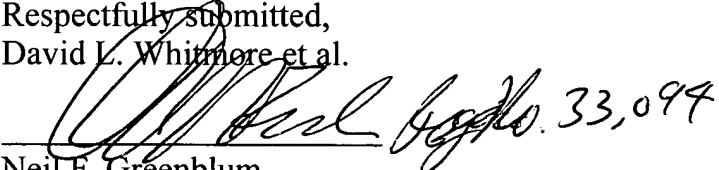
Applicants note that the SADS attached hereto includes updated 35 U.S.C. 120 priority information including that this application is a Continuation-in-Part of Application No. 08/932,532, which is a Continuation-in-Part of Application No. 08/456,860.

Accordingly, Applicants request entry of the attached SADS to ensure that the identified information is accurately printed on the face of the printed patent.

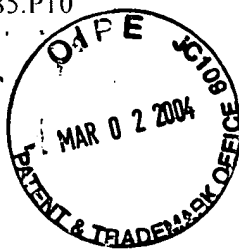
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If there are any questions with regard to this submission, the Examiner is requested to contact the undersigned at the telephone number listed below.

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Transmitted herewith is an Amendment under 37 C.F.R. 1.116 in the above-captioned application.

\_\_\_ Small Entity Status of this application under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a previously filed statement.

\_\_\_ A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.

☒ A Request for Extension of Time.

\_\_\_ No Additional Fee.

☒ Petition to Accept an Unintentionally Delayed Claim of Priority (copy).

☒ Cover Letter Regarding Submission of Supplemental Application Data Sheet.

☒ Supplemental Application Data Sheet.

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